## **Benefits of Adopting**

Help Control Animal Overpopulation

Less Expensive Than a Pet Store

Happy, Healthy Pet

Happy Family

Save a Life

### **Adoption Cost**

All adoptions include microchipping, spay/neuter, de-worming, initial vaccinations and licensing for your new best friend!

Be sure to ask about our Regular Adoption Specials!

Dog Package: \$81.00 Cat Package: \$29.00



### **ACS Mission Statement**

Animal Care Services is dedicated to making San Antonio a city in which every animal receives responsible care. Our Strategic Plan will help guide the community to achieve our "No Kill" goal.

The City of San Antonio is committed to enhancing our community's quality of life by providing both animal control and humane care for the animals in our shelter. This mission to protect pets and people involves providing shelter for lost and stray pets, medical care and vaccinations for incoming animals, increased enforcement and public education.

Animal Care Services supports efforts aimed at decreasing euthanasia and finding loving homes for our community's abandoned dogs and cats.
Included are programs for:

- Low Cost Spay/Neuter
- Low Cost Vaccinations
- Adoptions
- Responsible Pet Ownership

All available pets can be seen on the web at: www.saacs.net









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# Adopting a Pet

Give a loving animal another chance at life. Adopt a pet today!

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# Congratulations on Your New Special Pet!

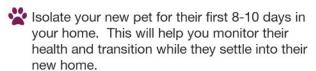
Remember, your pet needs you to be a responsible owner for his or her lifetime! Make sure you can provide the following necessities before making this important commitment.

- Nutritious food
- Fresh water daily
- · Vet care and vaccinations
- Preventative Care (Heartworm, Fleas, etc.)
- Pet License
- Proper identification (I.D. Tag, Microchip)
- Collar/Leash
- Carrier or Crate
- Restraining Gate
- Pooper Scooper/Bags
- Litter Box & Litter
- Scratching Post
- Flea Comb
- Toys & Treats
- · Clean, dry shelter for outdoors
- Plenty of exercise
- · Bathing and grooming
- Obedience trainingLots of love and attention!



All animals coming into ACS are given their initial vaccinations upon intake, but your new pet will need annual shots to remain healthy.

Because it's so hard to know if a pet has received their vaccinations before coming to the shelter, it's important to take some basic precautions with your new dog or cat.



Understand your pet may have come into contact with other illnesses and/or parasites before arrival at the shelter and while in the facility without physical signs of sickness.

Understand some diseases have an "incubation period", and your pet may have been harboring an illness or condition he or she contracted before entering the shelter.

Understand the symptoms associated with common diseases such as Canine Distemper, Parvo, Kennel Cough, Feline Leukemia, and Feline URI.

Schedule an appointment with your veterinarian within 72 hours. Your vet will give your new pet a physical exam and inform you of any medical care needed such as vaccinations and parasite prevention or treatment.

Ask ACS about affordable veterinarian care options that are available.



#### **Pet Name Ideas:**

Maxx	Shadow
Sam	Kitty
Bear	Lucky
Smokey	Weezy
Langston	Buster
Biscuit	Molly
Tim Tam	Buddy



